

COFFEE DRINKERS

Increasing Amount Imported Into the U. S.

Island Contribution is Still Very Small—Statistics for Year 1897.

Viewed in the light of comparison with statistics of other countries, the importation of Hawaiian coffee into the United States is small.

The high water mark in the exportation of coffee since 1867 was reached in 1870, when 415,111 lbs. was exported.

But the people of the United States are great coffee drinkers. The per capita consumption in 1897 was 9.95 lbs. so that the amount sent from the Islands made little appreciable difference in the market.

According to the computations of the Philadelphia Record, during the nine months of the calendar year ended September 30, 1897, the imports of coffee into the United States amounted to 580,652,921 lbs.

Of this coffee the bulk comes from Brazil, the importations from which country in the nine months of 1897, amounted to 414,481,407 lbs.

The next largest supplies of coffee are from other parts of South America, the importations from those regions having amounted in the nine months of 1897, to 69,271,030 lbs.

The total importations of "Java" coffee from the Netherlands and from the East Indies in the nine months of 1897 amounted to 14,954,168 lbs.

VETERAN BADGES.

They Will Be Awarded After Five Years Service.

The National Guard of Hawaii is to have a veteran corps. This feature will be created by the Department of Foreign Affairs.

brass cannon up in the old barracks. The number of men who have worn the uniform continuously for five years is not very large at present, but the reserve will have a pretty rapid growth during this year.

CUSTOMS.

Detail of Inspectors and Guards for February.

Yesterday morning the following detail of Custom House Inspectors and Guards for the month of February was announced by Port Surveyor Stratemeyer:

Inspector C. C. Rhodes assisting the Port Surveyor.

Discharging Inspectors: J. W. Short, W. F. Storey, R. M. Macaulay, M. G. Johnston, W. F. Drake.

Day Guards: A. Nunes, H. Kinney, J. Kanuu, G. Koamea.

Night Inspectors: W. H. Drummond, W. Charlock.

Night Guards: J. Kekahio, J. W. Mahelona, B. Kaunahi, J. Kaloamakai, J. Mahaeha, E. Stone, S. Hanohano, A. Mossman.

Special Duty: F. Manoha, J. Kanuha.

It will be noticed that Kanuha is back on duty again. He was detailed to work in the Appraiser's Department but it was found that he was badly needed at his old post.

HOUSE WARMING

Mr. Goo Kim Entertains Friends at His Residence.

Mr. Goo Kim Fui, the Chinese Commissioner, entertained a party of friends at his recently renovated residence, upper Liliha street last Saturday afternoon.

Returns Flowed In.

Assessor Shaw and his two deputies and as many clerks as could stand in the row were at the window of the tax office from the opening to the closing of the place yesterday.

Amateur Performance.

Rehearsals are now being held regularly of the plays to be given under the auspices of the Dramatic Circle of the Kiloana Art League.

New Jewelry House.

A local company with a paid up capital of \$100,000 will soon apply to the Minister of Interior for a charter to conduct in the city and throughout the Islands a wholesale and retail jewelry business.

Seasick Sailors.

It is well now that the U. S. F. S. Baltimore was out for target practice last week. She was about two and a half hours away from the harbor when an epidemic laid low about half a hundred of the crew.

MUST OBEY THE PEOPLE.

Ameer of Afghanistan an Autocrat in Name Only.

An interesting story comes from the New York Tribune to the effect that the Ameer of Afghanistan, who was at first suspected of complicity with the Indian birder troubles, but whose innocence is now well established, is one of the most autocratic monarchs in the world.

will of the people in some respects. A few years ago he greatly desired to visit England and other European countries, and the British Government was anxious that he should do so.

A few months ago, Mr. Byron Every, of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. His right leg was swollen the full length, causing him great suffering.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

This date in 1872 the Hawaiian hotel was opened.

"Advertised" letter list is published this morning.

Kahuku mill is closed down a couple of days for slight repairs.

There was the biggest rush of the year at the tax office yesterday.

The 450 Japanese now in quarantine will be released in a couple of days.

Professor Koebele is making a collection of Hawaiian insects for Bishop Museum.

The Pali road was completely finished yesterday. Everything is now in good shape for travel.

Attorney-General and Mrs. W. O. Smith will be passengers for Maui by the Claudine today.

John Cassidy, the new superintendent, takes charge of the Mutual Telephone system this morning.

Deputy Sheriff Scott of Maui came down on the Claudine, Sunday. He is here on a short business trip.

This is the last week of practice for the crack military shots to take part in the Marlin Trophy contest.

By the Mauna Loa this week, Sam'l Parker and family will leave for Waimea, Hawaii, to remain for some time.

During the year 1897, the German Benevolent Society of this city quietly disbursed for relief the sum of \$1,760.

The town was indeed surprised over the resignation of Rev. D. P. Birnie and many expressions of regret were made.

Red velvet garden hose, hose reels, lawn sprinklers, mowers, etc., of standard makes for sale by the Hawaiian Hardware Co.

Miss Kanoho sang aboard the Baltimore during services, Sunday morning. Her accompaniment was kindly played by Professor Berger.

At noon tomorrow at the mauka entrance of the Judiciary Building, the "Molokai Ranch" will be sold at auction, with upset price \$150,000.

The promised lecture by Prof. A. Agassiz for the University club and friends will be delivered at Pauahi hall, Punahou, on Thursday evening.

Two mail steamers are due from the Coast today—S. S. Peru and S. S. Australia. The Mariposa goes up on Thursday and the Australia on Saturday.

It took several hours for the 505 Japanese to leave quarantine Saturday after a stay there of four days. This company of laborers had been 14 days at sea.

The Legislature will be asked to place a water supply reservoir on the "hogback" back of Diamond Head for the use of the growing population mauka of Kapiolani park.

Chief Engineer Rowell of Kahuku plantation had a toe smashed last week. A Japanese laborer let some weights fall and, unfortunately, Mr. Rowell's foot happened to be in the way.

Purifine is a cheap and powerful disinfectant now used principally in all the hospitals and public buildings in America. The Hollister Drug Company are the sole agents for these Islands.

Mark Robinson bid in the Robinson beach property sold at auction on Court order yesterday. The price to be paid is \$18,500. C. S. Desky bid \$13,000 and Attorney A. W. Carter \$16,000.

Rev. S. K. Kamakahi, formerly pastor of the Hawaiian Evangelical Church at Olowalu, Maui, but for the last two years assistant pastor at the Leper Settlement, died last Tuesday, January 25.

One of the neatest, prettiest and most useful holiday souvenirs comes a little late, but is none the less welcome. It is a dainty memorandum book and is from the jewelry house of H. F. Wichman.

Henry E. Cooper, Acting President of the Republic, issues a proclamation today for the convening of the second regular session of the Legislature on Wednesday, February 16th at 12 noon at the Executive Building.

W. W. Dimond & Co. are showing some handsome table ware in Limoge, Coalport, Royal Worcester, French china, cut glass and engraved glassware. A feature of the above goods bought from this store is that they can be duplicated when destroyed or damaged.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At the first annual meeting of the Kailua Coffee Company, Limited, held at the offices of Messrs. Theo. H. Davies & Co., Ltd., Honolulu, this day, it was voted to accept the Charter of Incorporation, granted by the Minister of the Interior on the 27th day of January, 1898.

The following officers, who constitute the Board of Directors, have been elected to serve for the ensuing year: President.....Mr. F. M. Swazy Vice-President.....Mr. Tom May Secretary.....Mr. T. Clive Davies Treasurer.....Mr. W. G. Singlehurst Auditor.....Mr. H. F. Lewis

CLIVE DAVIES, Secretary. Honolulu, January 28, 1898. 1938-3t

FOR RENT.

The Dwelling belonging to me at Pala, lately occupied by J. Waldvogel: 7 rooms besides store and bathroom. A large cistern on premises and abundant surface water on tap in bathroom and kitchen, slightly brackish. House has no stationary washstands or baths and is unfurnished. Stable accommodations for three horses.

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For further particulars apply to me at Assessor's Office, Pala, 1936-4t C. H. DICKEY.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hawaiian Gazette Company, Limited, held this day, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

William R. Castle.....President Walter M. Pomroy.....Vice-President William Savidge.....Secretary Clinton G. Ballentyne.....Treasurer James B. Castle.....Auditor

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Calendars for 1898.

For the benefit of our many friends and customers on the other Islands or outside of Honolulu, we wish to state that the calendar containing our CALENDARS met with an accident on the way to San Francisco, and was burnt with all its contents. We have re-ordered them, and as soon as they arrive, will distribute them as we always have done.

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AT THE GAZETTE OFFICE.

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